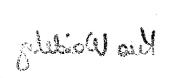


PROPOSED RULE MAKING

CR-102 (June 2004) (Implements RCW 34.05.320)

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Agency: Department of Health - Board of Physical Therapy		
\square Preproposal Statement of Inquiry was filed as WSR $04-07-19$	5; or Original Notice	
	; or Supplemental Notice to WSR	
Proposal is exempt under RCW 34.05.310(4).	Continuance of WSR	
Title of rule and other identifying information: (Describe Subject from approved schools. The proposed rule is required for housek 10 years. Currently, if a licensee has not worked in physical therapy endorsement under certain conditions. The proposed rule changes to three years. The three-year term is consistent with the language out Requirements for Credentialed Health Care Providers. The propose competency". This language is consistent with current language out	y in the last two years they may be granted licensure by the length of time a physical therapist has not worked from two to clined in Chapter 246-12 WAC Administrative Procedures and act rules also changes "continuing education" to "continuing educatio	
Hearing location(s): Department of Health 310 Israel Rd SE	Submit written comments to:	
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Tumwater, WA 98501	Address:310 Israel Rd SE	
	Tumwater, WA 98501 e-mail kris.waidely@doh.wa.gov	
	fax (360)664-9077 by (date) November 5, 2004	
Date: November 16, 2004 Time: 9:30 a.m.		
Date of intended adoption: November 16, 2004	Assistance for persons with disabilities: Contact <u>Kris Waidely, Program Manager</u> by <u>November 5, 2004</u>	
(Note: This is NOT the effective date)	· —	
Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, includin	(800) <u>833-6388</u> or (360) <u>236-4847</u>	
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Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 18.74.023		
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Has a sma	Il business economic impact state	ement been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW?	
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AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending Order 403B, filed 2/4/94, effective 3/7/94

WAC 246-915-040 Licensure by endorsement--Applicants from approved schools. (1) Before licensure by endorsement is extended to any individual licensed to practice physical therapy under the law of another state, territory, or District of Columbia, the applicant shall have graduated from a board approved school, shall have taken the examination for physical therapy and shall have achieved a passing score approved by the board.

(2) If the decision to extend licensure by endorsement is based on an examination other than the examination approved in WAC 246-915-030(1), the board shall determine if such examination is

equivalent to that required by the laws of this state.

(3) The board shall not recommend to the secretary that a person be licensed as a physical therapist under the licensure by endorsement provisions of RCW 18.74.060, unless said applicant shall have taken and passed the examination approved by the board, or other examination equivalent to that required by the laws of this state.

(4) If a licensee has not worked in physical therapy in the last ((two)) three years, the applicant may be granted licensure by endorsement under the following conditions:

(a) The board may require reexamination of an applicant who has not been actively engaged in lawful practice in another state

or territory; or

(b) Waive reexamination in favor of evidence of continuing ((education)) competency satisfactory to the board.